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## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 995**

## By Hazlewood

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Scott Thompson of Signal Mountain on being named the seventyfirst President of the Tennessee Road Builders Association

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as professional leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Scott Thompson of Signal Mountain, who was named the seventy-first President of the Tennessee Road Builders Association (TRBA) on April 9, 2016; and

WHEREAS, born in Signal Mountain on February 18, 1970, Scott Thompson is a 1992 graduate of the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, where he earned a degree in criminal justice; and

WHEREAS, Scott Thompson began his distinguished career with Talley Construction in 2001 as an estimator; he worked his way up in the company to become Executive Vice President in 2006; and

WHEREAS, a man with an astute business mind, Mr. Thompson previously served the TRBA as First Vice President, as Second Vice President and Treasurer, and as chairman of the TRBA Asphalt Division for four years; and

WHEREAS, his many professional and personal accomplishments aside, Mr. Thompson is thankful for the love and companionship he shares with his wife, the former Tara Jensen; his son, Jensen; and his daughter, Chelsea; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Scott Thompson for his dedication to the road building industry and for making this State's exemplary highway system even better; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby congratulate Scott Thompson on being named the seventy-first President of the Tennessee Road Builders Association, honor and commend him for his meritorious service to the transportation needs of his fellow Tennesseans, and extend to him our best wishes for every continued success and happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.